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# NEW! THE 8TH WONDER OF THE WORLD!

## BEAUTIFUL, GROWING LIVE MINIATURE TREES



Here's news so different—so startling—so important that you will want to read every word carefully.

You've heard about the many wonders of the world—the Grand Canyon of Arizona—the giant Sequoia trees of California—Niagara Falls—Carlsbad Caverns and many others—but now another wonder has been added. A wonder that has fascinated the wealthy for a great many years.

That wonder is—**LIVE, GROWING, MINIATURE TREES!**

Yes, as spectacular as the giant Sequoia Trees of California, these are as spectacular in reverse. Yes, these are genuine, **LIVING** trees that are dwarfed in miniature size. Perfect copies of large trees. Even fruit trees such as orange, lemon, grapefruit, apple, pear, peach and many others grow no more than 10 to 20 inches in height! They blossom and bear tasty, tiny fruit!

No doubt you have seen the imitations in novelty shops called "Ming" trees which are dead, made up from materials. You've seen the popularity these have achieved in spite of their high cost. But think how much more thrilling it would be to own—not a dead Ming tree—but a live, growing real miniature tree!

Dwarf miniature trees are not new. They've been grown in Japan and other nations of the Orient for centuries but their dwarfing process was a closely guarded secret. Only recently has this secret come to light. It will show how **YOU** can grow—right in your own home—from seed—live miniature dwarf trees that will bloom—bear fruit—remain green—yet always remain a miniature dwarf... a perfect copy of its full grown family.

Think of the satisfaction you will receive from watching it develop—the pride—when your friends view the tree with envy. Many people now have live ivy plants and tropical foliage growing in their homes—but you can have live, miniature dwarf trees! Yes, even an entire miniature forest.

Think of the prizes you can take home from flower shows and exhibits!

Have you ever planted a garden? Do you recall the fascination of watching the seeds sprout? The anxiety of watching the growth as you cared for it? When you grow miniature trees your fascination will multiply a hundred fold. No hobby could bring you more relaxation and enjoyment.

## THE ANCIENT AGE-OLD SECRETS ... CAN NOW BE YOURS!

Many centuries ago, Japanese royalty amazed the entire world by growing actual miniature, living dwarf trees. They were the talk in every world capitol—desired by Kings and countrymen alike. However, the Oriental Japanese emperors decided that the amazing growing secrets should belong only to them, to decorate their per-

sonal shrines and palaces—that death penalty would be given anyone growing these fascinating miniature wonders. Century after century these sacred growing secrets passed down from ruler to ruler. Recently, some Americans with plenty of money to spend, succeeded in purchasing some of these beautiful trees, thus the secret is now available to you.



**JAPANESE RED PINE**—Cultivated to grow flat—this beauty is only 10 inches tall. Note pine cones.



**POMEGRANATE**—Miniature leaves, tiny fruit and blooming flowers, yet only 13 inches tall.



**CALIFORNIA JUNIPER**—This 12 inch tall specimen has a 2 foot spread—an enviable prize in any home, club, school, office, etc.



**NOW--the secret is out!**

**YOU CAN MAKE**

# Big Money too!

**AT HOME! ... IN YOUR SPARE TIME! ... NO EXPERIENCE NECESSARY!**

## NO EXPERIENCE NEEDED

The secret process is so simple a child can easily grow a tree. If you have ever planted a seed in your garden, you already have all the experience you need. You're not working with inanimate dead materials — you're continually enjoying live, real living things.

## TAKES SO LITTLE TIME

This is a pleasant point. Only a few minutes a day is necessary to be successful. No long hours of tedious work is necessary. You can take care of a dozen trees in a matter of five minutes daily attention. Of course, if you want to go into a full time business, you can easily take care of thousands at a time.

## YEAR AROUND OPPORTUNITY

There is no "off season." Dwarf trees will grow in your home the year around and there's always a big demand for your trees. Climate makes little difference. If you live in an area where temperature gets to be 0° F.—it's easy to protect your trees the year around.

If you ever planted a garden—you know the wonderful feeling of expectation when you plant the seed . . . the thrill of watching the seeds sprout before your eyes . . . the anxiety and spirited fascination of nursing the plants to their full, healthy growth.

Growing your own miniature trees is A HUNDRED TIMES MORE FASCINATING!—distinctly different—yet more fun to do! No other hobby . . . no other business can rival the satisfaction received from growing miniature trees—exact duplications in every detail — but only a few inches high. (DO NOT confuse this with the imitations you see in gift stores called "Ming Trees"— They are not real—and NOT LIVING.)

## NEW LIVING "MING TREES" ARE NOW BECOMING

### *The Sensation of All America*



● **IN HOMES** — As fascinating centerpieces for the dining room, conversational pieces on the mantle, in the bedroom, den, kitchen—ANYWHERE!



● **IN FLOWER SHOWS**—Can you imagine the excitement caused by a beautiful blooming jasmine—full grown—perfect in every detail — but only inches high? Flower shows are now recognizing this new horticultural phenomenon everywhere and are now giving special prizes for living "Ming Trees" entrants.



● **IN HOBBY SHOWS**—Special sections and prizes are already being given for prize living "Ming Trees." No other hobby has ever been so popular and enjoyable.



● **IN CLUBS, HOTELS, CHURCHES, SCHOOLS, MUSEUMS, ETC.**—These actual living replicas (only 12" high) become attractive authentic wonders of modern civilization — beautifying the entire area with their pungent natural odors and majestic, fascinating attractiveness.

**EVERYWHERE**—This new enchanting idea is becoming the most enjoyable hobby—most profitable business—ever known to Americans.

## EARN \$10 PER HOUR (IN YOUR SPARE TIME)

No selling either. Once you know the secrets, people will come to you. Trees cost you only a few pennies but sell at amazingly high prices. Every home — hotel — office — bank — club — florist — nursery — decorator—collector and others are a prospect.

## A DELIGHTFUL HOBBY

Growing these amazing and beautiful trees will bring you countless hours of relaxing pleasure. It will delight your friends and bring beauty to your home. It's a hobby that won't cost you a lot of money to keep up. Your only cost is a few cents for seeds—or you can even use the seeds from the fruit you eat.

## A NEW FASCINATING HOBBY!

Never before has such a sensational hobby come to life. Now, with the secret growing formulas of the "Ming Dynasty" Chinese, you can grow giant miniature trees—living beautiful miniature-wonders in your own home. Practically any kind of tree (from an ancient oak to a real orange tree that actually bears miniature oranges) can be easily grown in your living room, dining room—anywhere! Climate makes little difference—and growth is rapid. Once you know the fabulous secret—it's easy! It's the amazing new hobby that the whole world will soon be talking about!

## A NEW EASY-MONEY BUSINESS!

Already hundreds of hobbyists are finding growing midget trees very profitable! Some are selling for \$25 up to \$1,500. Yes, it's the starting of a fabulous new kind of business that offers "unheard of" profits. Hotels, schools, churches, clubs, etc. are already demanding these amazing trees for decorative purposes. The demand is sweeping America. For the person who enjoys gardening and wants to put his spare time (or full time) to work—it's the start of a "big money" business.



## A FABULOUS NEW HOBBY... THAT CAN MAKE YOU EXTRA MONEY!

In a world filled with tension, the leading medical men tell us that we should all have a hobby. A hobby that will relax our minds and fill us with a sense of pride and contentment. There are so many kinds of hobbies—most of which are expensive—often too expensive for most of us—especially the family man on a small income... that this is big news.

If you are searching for a hobby—then why not grow these trees—this is a hobby that will cost you nothing, yet has profit possibilities that are beyond your wildest dreams. If you get pleasure from flower gardens, then you will doubly enjoy this hobby which permits you to grow living, flowering and fruit bearing miniature dwarf trees right in your own home! In these trees, young and old alike—yes, even those who are physically handicapped, will find a medium of expression and an outlet for creativeness.

This Oriental Secret which is now yours is so simple to understand and follow that you can be as successful as the most experienced horticulturist. Whatever your ideas about opportunity—independence and personal relaxation—whatever you have tried before—nothing can give you the pleasure and financial gain that these enchanting, fascinating trees can.

You will have countless hours of pleasure and relaxation from growing and enjoying these trees. You will beautify your home—surprise your friends—win prizes in shows and best of all—you can realize tremendous profits from the sale of these trees easily to Interior Decorators, Hotels, Clubs, Florists, Funeral Parlors, Hobbyists, Cemeteries, Collectors, Banks, Home Owners, Offices and many, many others.

Because of their rarity and novelty, truly fabulous profits and fame are possible. These trees attract immediate and wide attention and reporters, specialty writers, photographers, television and radio stations all want stories about them. Because it is impossible at this time to supply the demand, any price can be had and the trees sell faster than you can grow them. And remember this is one business in which you actually don't have to fear competition—there is none!

## READ THE FACTS...

Yes, there's a catch to these miniature trees—the trees in themselves are so attractive and the effect of trees growing in the house is so marked in the case of all beholders that everyone seeing your tree is most likely apt to become an ardent enthusiast themselves!

Some people after only a gingerly start will wind up with entire sun porches, window sills and tables filled with trees to the astonishment of all their friends and guests.

And so, perhaps I should really warn you that once you get over the shock that you can actually raise a miniature tree—once your neighbors have come to "look"—from that point, it's almost inevitable that you'll want an entire "forest" of your own! Because, to possess one is to desire still another... and another.

Variety after variety will grace your home until you find yourself forming a collection. A collection that will one day form the basis of an entire display... a display worthy of a featured spot in any flower or horticultural show or exhibit. Yes—this search for still another different specimen will most definitely fill your life with a new interest... a new meaning. Now when you take a trip into the mountains or backwoods country—you'll find yourself looking everywhere for small trees in crevices, hillsides, mountain tops, rocks, in fact, everywhere... trees that you will be able to cultivate into worthy miniatures. It will double your pleasure on a trip... it will add interest and zest not only for you—but for all those with you... they too will share in this strange fascination.

### NO INVESTMENT NEEDED

Here's the best part. If you want to grow these dwarf trees for profit, you can start immediately on a large scale. A dollar will set out more than a dozen trees. Most businesses require a large investment—not so with dwarf trees.

### NO OVERHEAD—NO EXPENSE

You don't need a large store room or a lot of equipment to carry on a dwarf tree business. You can raise these trees in any corner of your home or garage. Seeds (at a few cents) is all you buy. A card table or small shelf will easily accommodate a dozen trees.



**MONTEREY CYPRESS** — Perfect replica — only 15 inches tall. Magnificent prize winner in the reception room or table center piece.

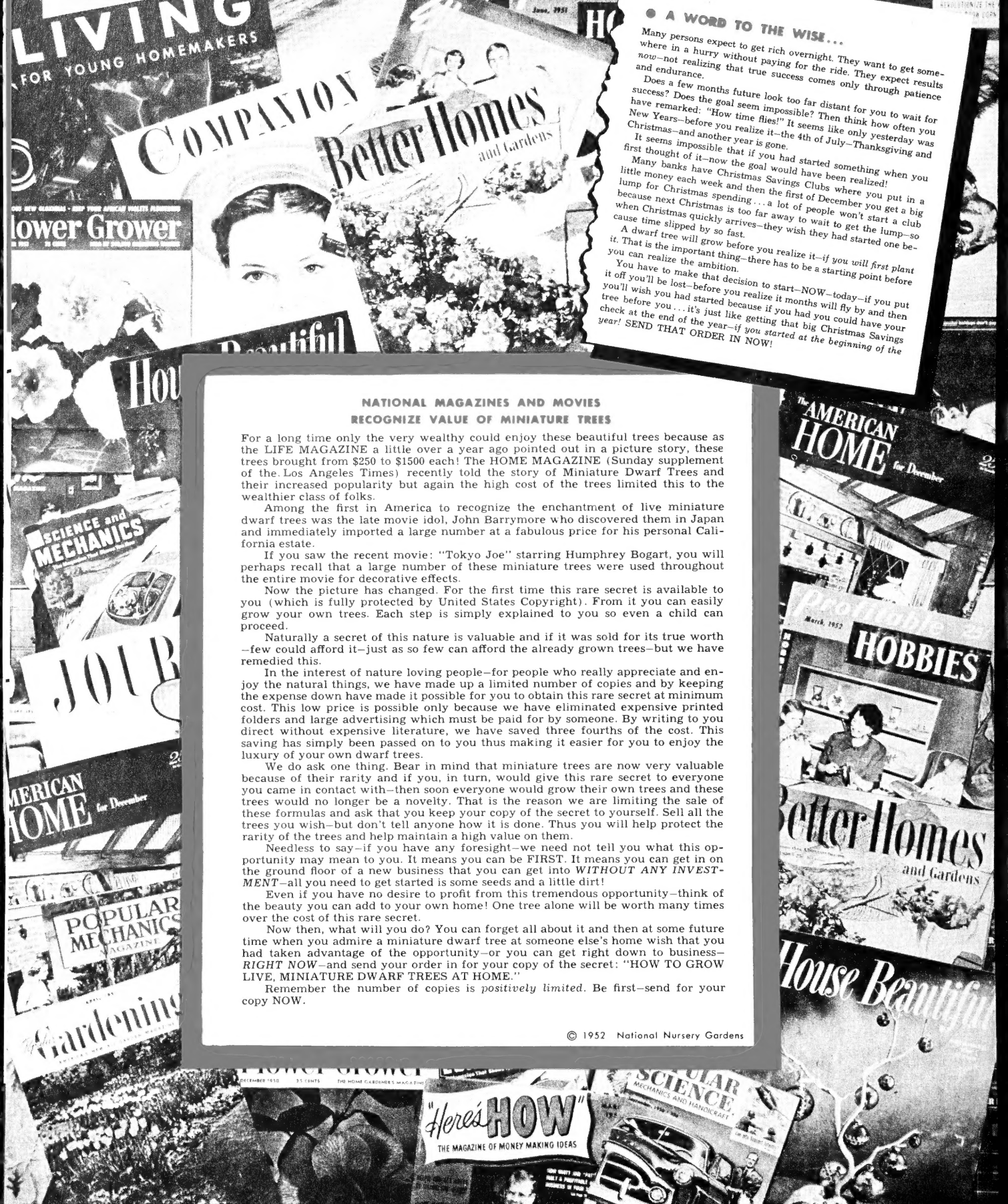


**FIVE POINTED JAPANESE PINE** — Tiny pine needles—yet only 14 inches tall. Mature even to shedding its bark.



**EVERGREEN DEODAR** — Famous the world over for its grace and beauty and its weird root formula—18 inches tall.





### • A WORD TO THE WISE ...

Many persons expect to get rich overnight. They want to get some-  
now—not realizing that true success comes only through patience  
and endurance.

Does a few months future look too far distant for you to wait for  
success? Does the goal seem impossible? Then think how often you  
have remarked: "How time flies!" It seems like only yesterday you  
New Years—before you realize it—the 4th of July—Thanksgiving and  
Christmas—and another year is gone.

It seems impossible that if you had started something when you  
first thought of it—now the goal would have been realized!

Many banks have Christmas Savings Clubs where you put in a  
little money each week and then the first of December you get a big  
lump for Christmas spending... a lot of people won't start a club  
because next Christmas is too far away to wait to get the lump—so  
when Christmas quickly arrives—they wish they had started one be-  
cause time slipped by so fast.

A dwarf tree will grow before you realize it—if you will first plant  
it. That is the important thing—there has to be a starting point before  
you can realize the ambition.

You have to make that decision to start—NOW—today—if you put  
it off you'll be lost—before you realize it months will fly by and then  
you'll wish you had started because if you had you could have your  
tree before you... it's just like getting that big Christmas Savings  
check at the end of the year—if you started at the beginning of the  
year! SEND THAT ORDER IN NOW!

### NATIONAL MAGAZINES AND MOVIES RECOGNIZE VALUE OF MINIATURE TREES

For a long time only the very wealthy could enjoy these beautiful trees because as the LIFE MAGAZINE a little over a year ago pointed out in a picture story, these trees brought from \$250 to \$1500 each! The HOME MAGAZINE (Sunday supplement of the Los Angeles Times) recently told the story of Miniature Dwarf Trees and their increased popularity but again the high cost of the trees limited this to the wealthier class of folks.

Among the first in America to recognize the enchantment of live miniature dwarf trees was the late movie idol, John Barrymore who discovered them in Japan and immediately imported a large number at a fabulous price for his personal California estate.

If you saw the recent movie: "Tokyo Joe" starring Humphrey Bogart, you will perhaps recall that a large number of these miniature trees were used throughout the entire movie for decorative effects.

Now the picture has changed. For the first time this rare secret is available to you (which is fully protected by United States Copyright). From it you can easily grow your own trees. Each step is simply explained to you so even a child can proceed.

Naturally a secret of this nature is valuable and if it was sold for its true worth—few could afford it—just as so few can afford the already grown trees—but we have remedied this.

In the interest of nature loving people—for people who really appreciate and enjoy the natural things, we have made up a limited number of copies and by keeping the expense down have made it possible for you to obtain this rare secret at minimum cost. This low price is possible only because we have eliminated expensive printed folders and large advertising which must be paid for by someone. By writing to you direct without expensive literature, we have saved three fourths of the cost. This saving has simply been passed on to you thus making it easier for you to enjoy the luxury of your own dwarf trees.

We do ask one thing. Bear in mind that miniature trees are now very valuable because of their rarity and if you, in turn, would give this rare secret to everyone you came in contact with—then soon everyone would grow their own trees and these trees would no longer be a novelty. That is the reason we are limiting the sale of these formulas and ask that you keep your copy of the secret to yourself. Sell all the trees you wish—but don't tell anyone how it is done. Thus you will help protect the rarity of the trees and help maintain a high value on them.

Needless to say—if you have any foresight—we need not tell you what this opportunity may mean to you. It means you can be FIRST. It means you can get in on the ground floor of a new business that you can get into WITHOUT ANY INVESTMENT—all you need to get started is some seeds and a little dirt!

Even if you have no desire to profit from this tremendous opportunity—think of the beauty you can add to your own home! One tree alone will be worth many times over the cost of this rare secret.

Now then, what will you do? You can forget all about it and then at some future time when you admire a miniature dwarf tree at someone else's home wish that you had taken advantage of the opportunity—or you can get right down to business—RIGHT NOW—and send your order in for your copy of the secret: "HOW TO GROW LIVE, MINIATURE DWARF TREES AT HOME."

Remember the number of copies is positively limited. Be first—send for your copy NOW.

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